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ENCOUNTER

I held a violet in my hand
  In the midst of the city,
And could not understand
  My own pity.
Now was face to face
  Littleness with the immensity of towers:
Strength was looking at grace;
  The city sighing for lost woodland hours.

AUTOMOBILES ON SUNDAY

Down the blue road into the sun
The great cars run;
Down the road's curve
They swerve,
And their glasses shine white
In the sudden light
As they turn;
And the brasses of their lamps and rods burn.

With an inner turning,
An inner sound of turning and churning,
With a whir and a purr purr,
With a great hum,
They come;
And they shake their shadows at their side,
Their shadows square and wide